

Gilden. 1629.  
A new Almanacke and Preg-  
nostication, for the yecre of  
our Lord God,

1629.

Being the first after Bissextile  
or Leape yeare.

Calculatfed and composed  
according to Art, for the  
Meridian and Latitude of  
the Towne of Shipston  
vpon Stow e, in the County  
of Worcester.:

And may well serue for all  
the South parts of great  
Britaine.

By G. Gilden φιλομαθη.  
*Ludis in humantia Divina po-*  
*tentia rebus.*

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Common Notes of  
moueable Feasts,  
according to the old  
accomp̄t vsed in  
England.

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moueable Feasts, ac-  
cording to the new  
accomp̄t vsed be-  
yond the Seas.

The Golden number	15
The Cicle of the Sun	14
The Epact	15
The Roman Indiction	12
The Dominical letter D	
Saintsunday	Febr. 15
Ash-wednesday	Febr. 18
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Ascension day	May, 14
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Aduentunday	Nou, 29

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Saintsunday	Febr. 25
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Easter day	Aprill, 15
Bogationunday	May, 20
Ascension day	May, 24
Whitunday	June, 3
Aduentunday	Decem. 2

Interuallum minus, or the distanse betwene the Birth of our Lord, and Quinquagesima, which is houesunday, is 7. weekeſ and 3. dayes.

Interuallum majus, or the distance betweens Trinity sunday, & Aduent sunday, is 26. weekeſ.

1629.

A Report of Times, since some  
memorable accidents haue hapned, till  
this present yeere, 1629.

	yeeres.
From the Creation of the world to this yeere,	5599
From the Creation to the Deluge,	1667
From the Floud to this yeere,	3939
From the Creation to the Birth of Abraham,	1961
From the Birth of Abraham to this yeere,	3546
From the Creation, to the Israelites departure out of Egypt,	2465
From their departure till this yeere,	3141
From the Creation, to the building of the Temple,	2945
From the building of the Temple to this yeere,	2661
From the Creation to the Captiuitie of babylon,	3373
From the Captiuitie to this yeere,	2233
Frō the Creation to the Birth of our blessed Sauour,	3073
From the Birth of our blessed Sauour to this yeere. comple- te,	1628

Particulars of this Land.

	yeeres.
Since Brute entred this Land,	2736
Since England receiued the Christian Faith,	1438
Since the Conquest by Duke William,	562
Since King Henry the VIII. wonne Bolloigne,	84
Since Pauls steeple fired by lightning,	67
Since the blazing starre and frosty Winter,	56
Since the generall earth-quake in England,	48
Since the beginning of the Raigne of King Charles compleate in March the 27. is 3. yeeres, but current,	4

The Anatomie of Mans body, as the parts  
thereof are gouerned by the 12.  
Signes of the Zodiacke.

V Aries, Head and face.

♉ Taurus.  
Necke and  
throat.

♊ Cancer.  
Wrest, Sto-  
mach & ribs.

♋ Virgo.  
Bowels and  
belly.

♏ Scorpio.  
Secret me-  
ters.

♑ Capricorn.  
The Knees.



♊ Gemini.  
Armes and  
shoulders.

♌ Leo,  
Heart and  
backe.

♎ Libra.  
Reines and  
loynes.

♐ Sagittarius.  
the Thighs.

♒ Aquar.  
The Legs.

♓ Pisces, The feste.

The Characters of the Signes.

V Aries, ♈ Taurus, ♊ Gemini, ♋ Cancer, ♌ Leo,  
♍ Virgo, ♎ Libra, ♏ Scorpio, ♐ Sagittarius, ♑ Capri-  
cornus, ♓ Aquarius, ♕ Pisces. ♍ Caput Draconis.  
♌ Cauda Draconis

1.	D
2.	B
3.	C
4.	D
5.	E
6.	F
7.	G
8.	A
9.	B
10.	C
11.	D
12.	E
13.	F
14.	G
15.	A
16.	B
17.	C
18.	D
19.	E
20.	F
21.	G
22.	A
23.	B
24.	C
25.	D
26.	E
27.	F
28.	G
29.	A
30.	B
31.	C

January hath xxxij. dayes.

Dayes.	Sunne rifeth.	Dayes.	Sunne setteh.
1.	{ houre 8. min. 0.	1.	{ houre 4. min. 0.
10.	{ houre 7. min. 19.	10.	{ houre 4. min. 11.
20.	{ houre 7. min. 34.	20.	{ houre 4. min. 26.

1	a	New yee. d.	Leo	19		11	b
2	b	Oct. Steu.	Virgo	4		12	c
3	c	Octa. John	Virgo	18		13	d
4	D	Oct. Innoc.	Libra	2	C Last quarter	14	E
5	e	Depos. Ed.	Libra	16	the 6. day at 7. a	15	a
6	f	Twelfe day	Libra	29	clocke, and 31. 16	16	b
7	g	Wed come in	Scorp	12	minutes in the	17	c
8	a	Lucian	Scorp	24	morning.	18	d
9	b	Martha vi.	Sagit.	6		19	e
10	c	Sol in Aqua	Sagit.	28		20	f
11	D	Higin	Sagit.	30	● New moone	21	G
12	e	Archadius	Capric	12	the 14. day a qua.	22	a
13	f	Hillarius	Capric	24	past 10. in the	23	b
14	g	Felix priest	Aquar.	5	morning, and 50,	24	c
15	a	Apparicius	Aquar.	17	minutes.	25	d
16	b	Apparcius	Aquar.	29		26	e
17	c	Anthonius	Pisces	11		27	f
18	D	Cet. S. P	Pisces	23	C First quar-	28	G
19	e	Molstan	Aries	5	ter the 22. day at	29	a
20	f	Fabi. & Sc.	Aries	13	7. a clocke in the	30	b
21	g	Agneus	Tauru	1	morning.	31	c
22	a	Vincentius	Tauru	15	February.	1	d
23	b	Cerne beg.	Tauru	19		2	e
24	c	Timothy	Gemin	13		3	f
25	D	Cen of Pan	Gemin	28		4	G
26	e	Policarpe	Cancer	13	● Full moone	5	a
27	f	Julian	Cancer	28	the 28. day at 11.	6	b
28	g	Carolus m.	Leo	13	a clocke at night,	7	c
29	a	Theodore	Leo	27	and 10. minutes.	8	d
30	b	Battid	Virgo	12		9	e
31	c	Saturnine	Virgo	16		10	f

February hath xxvij. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	riseth.	Dayes	Sunne	setteth.
1.	{	houre 7. min. 3.	1.	{	houre 4. min. 44.
10.	{	houre 6. min. 59.	10.	{	houre 5. min. 4.
20.	{	houre 6. min. 36.	20.	{	houre 5. min. 24.

1	D	Ignatius	Ltb.	10	G	11
2	e	Purifi. Ma	Ltb.	24	a	12
3	f	Blase	Scor.	7	b	13
4	g	Gilbert	Scor.	20	c	14
5	a	Agathe	Hag.	2 a clocke at night.	d	15
6	b	Dorothy	Hagi.	15	e	16
7	c	Helen	Hagit.	27	f	17
8	D	Palile	Cap.	8	• New moone	18
9	e	Soi in Psc.	Cap.	21	the 13. day 15.	a
10	f	William cō.	Aqua.	3	minutes past 5. a	b
11	g	Eufronte	Aqu.	clock in the mor-	c	
12	a	Cerme ends	Aqua.	26	ning.	d
13	b	Wolftran	Pisc.	8	e	23
14	c	Valenting	Pisc.	20	f	24
15	D	Shrouesund	Aries	3	• First quart-	15
16	e	Fauſtine	Aries	15	ter the 20. day at	a
17	f	Fultana	Aries	28	5. a clocke 10.	b
18	g	W̄hwedneſd	Tau.	11	min. at night.	c
19	a	Nat. Reg. Ch.	Tau.	25	d	1
20	b	Elutherius	Gem.	9	e	2
21	c	70. martyrs	Gem.	23	f	3
22	D	Antiochus	Can.	7	March.	4
23	e	Wilburg	Can.	22.	G	5
24	f	Mathi. Ap.	Leo	7	a	23
25	g	Walburge	Leo	21	b	24
26	a	Nestor	Vir.	69. a clock and 30.	c	25
27	b	Augustine	Vir.	20	d	26
28	c	Macarius	Lib.	min. in the mor-	e	27
				4 ning.	f	28
					-	29
					-	30
					-	31

March hath xxxij. dayes.

teth.	Dayes	Sunne	rifelth.	Dayes	Sunne	settelth.
44.	1.	{	houre 6. min. 19.	1.	{	houre 5. min. 41.
4.	10.	{	houre 6. min. 1.	10.	{	houre 5. min. 59.
24.	20.	{	houre 5. min. 4.	20.	{	houre 6. min. 29.

1	D	David	Ltb.	18	G	I
2	e	Chad	Sco.	2	a	12
3	f	Maurice	Sco.	15	C	Last quart.
4	g	Aordan	Sco.	28	b	13
5	a	Eusebius	Hagit.	103.	c	14
6	b	Victor	Hagit.	23	d	15
7	c	Thom. Aqu.	Cap.	5	e	16
8	D	11. martyrs	Cap.	17	G	17
9	e	Agapit	Cap.	29	a	18
10	f	Quirian	Aqu.	11	b	19
11	g	John the b.	Aqu.	23	c	20
12	a	Gregorie	Pisc.	5	d	21
13	b	Theodoorus	Pisc.	17	● New moon	22
14	c	Candid ma.	Pisc.	17 the 14 <sup>th</sup> day at	e	23
15	D	Longius	Aries	308. a clocke & 50.	f	24
16	e	Cyriacus	Aries	12 min. at night.	G	25
17	f	Patricke	Tau.	25	a	26
18	g	Eoward R.	Tau.	8	b	27
19	a	Joseph conf.	Gem.	21	c	28
20	b	Cuthbert	Gem.	5	d	29
21	c	Benedict	Can.	19	e	30
22	D	Prodoose	Can.	3	f	31
23	e	Victorian	Leo	18	G	1
24	f	Init. Rex lac.	Leo	2	a	2
25	g	Ann of B.	Virg.	17 the 22. day a qua.	b	3
26	a	Castor mar.	Virg.	1 before 1. in the	c	4
27	b	Init. R. Car.	Air.	15 the moone.	d	5
28	c	Martian	Lib.	29	e	6
29	D	Vorochie	Lib.	13 ● Full moone	f	7
30	e	Quirinus	Scorp.	27 the 28. day at	G	8
31	f	Adelme	Scorp.	108. a clocke & 26.	a	9
				23 min. at night.	b	10

Aprill hath xxx. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	rising.	Dayes	Sunne	setting.
1	{	houre 5. min. 18.	1	{	houre 6. min. 42.
10	{	houre 5. min. 1.	10	{	houre 6. min. 59.
20	{	houre 4. min. 18.	20	{	houre 7. min. 27.

1	g	Theodore	Sagit.	5	c	1
2	a	Francis	Sagi.	18	d	12
3	b	Richard	Sagi.	30	c	3
4	c	Ambrose	Capri.	12 the 1. day, at 2.	f	14
5	D	Easter day	Capri.	15 a clocke, and 19.	g	5
6	e	Sixtus	Aquar.	7 minuts at night.	a	16
7	f	Euphemia	Aquar.	19	b	17
8	g	Egilius	Pilces	1	c	18
9	a	Perpetuus	Pilces	13	d	19
10	b	Civut & W.	Pilces	26 the 13. day, halfe	e	20
11	c	Sol in Taur.	Bries	8 an houre before	f	21
12	D	Guthlac	Bries	21 10. a cloche be-	g	22
13	e	Zenon	Tauru.	4 foze noone.	a	23
14	f	Maximilia.	Taur.	18	b	24
15	g	O wald	Gemi.	1	c	25
16	a	Ildoze	Gemi.	15	d	26
17	b	Anicetus	Gemi.	30 the 20. day, 3.	e	27
18	c	Valerianus	Cancer	14 quarters after 1.	f	28
19	D	Alphege	Cance.	28 a clocke in the	g	29
20	e	Victor	Leo	13 morning.	a	30
21	f	Antelmus	Leo	27 May, 1629.	b	1
22	g	Cerne veg.	Virgo	12	c	2
23	a	H. George	Virgo	26	d	3
24	b	Wilfrie	Libra	9	e	4
25	c	Barke Euia	Libra	23	f	5
26	D	Cletus	Scorp.	6	g	6
27	e	Anastasius	Scorp.	19 the 27. day at 8.	a	7
28	f	Vitalis	Sagit.	1 before noone.	b	8
29	g	Petri mart.	Sagit.	14	c	9
30	a	Muirinus	Sagit.	26	d	10

May hath xxxij. dayes.

		Dayes sunne rising.	Dayes sunne setting.	
1	b	Shoure 4. min. 25.	Shoure 7. min. 35.	11
2	c	Shoure 4. min. 22.	Shoure 7. min. 25.	12
3	d	Shoure 4. min. 0.	Shoure 8. min. 1.	13
4	e			14
5	f			15
6	g			16
7	a			17
8	b			18
9	c			19
10	d			20
11	e			21
12	f			22
13	g			23
14	a			24
15	b			25
16	c			26
17	d			27
18	e			28
19	f			29
20	g			30
21	a			31
22	b			1
23	c			2
24	d			3
25	e			4
26	f			5
27	g			6
28	a			7
29	b			8
30	c			9
31	d			10

June hath xxx. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	riseth.	Dayes	Sunne	setteh.
1.		{ houre 3. min. 51.	1.		{ houre 8. min. 9.
10.		{ houre 3. min. 48.	10.		{ houre 8. min. 12.
20.		{ houre 3. min. 51.	20.		{ houre 8. min. 9.

1 e Nicomed	Aquar	22	a	11
2 f Marcellin	Pisces	4	b	12
3 g Gratus	Pisces	16	c	13
4 a Quirinus	Pisces	29	d	14
5 b Cerme beg.	Aries	12 17. min. before	e	15
6 c Claudius	Aries	25 1. in the moze-	f	16
7 D Wolstan	Tauru	8 ning.	g	17
8 e Medardus	Tauru	21	a	18
9 f Primus	Gemin	5	b	19
10 g Innocent	Gemin	20	c	20
11 a Barnaby	Cancer	4 the 11. day at 3.	d	21
12 b Dolmancare	Cancer	19 a clocke and 50.	e	22
13 c Anthonus	Leo	4 mi. before noon.	f	23
14 D Basilius	Leo	19	g	24
15 e Vitus	Virgo	4	a	25
16 f Cyricus	Virgo	18	b	26
17 g Botolphe	Libra	2 ter the 17. dap	c	27
18 a Martus	Libra	19 at 6. a clocke at	d	28
19 b Geruifus	Libra	29 at night, and 40.	e	29
20 c Hyluerius	Scorp	13 minutes.	f	30
21 D Malburge	Scorp	25 July.	g	1
22 e Paulinus	Hagit	8	a	2
23 f Audry	Hagit	20	b	3
24 g John Bap.	Capri.	2	c	4
25 a Cerne end	Capri.	13 the 25 day at	d	5
26 b Petronia	Capri.	25 a quarter past	e	6
27 c Crescens	Aquar.	7 11. a clock before	f	7
28 D Leopope	Aquar.	19 noone and 22,	g	8
29 e St. Peter	Aquar.	29 minutes.	a	9
30 f Ed. of Paul	Pisces	12	b	10

July hath xxxij. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	riseth.	Dayes	Sunne	setteth.
i.	{	houre 4. min. 0.	i.	{	houre 8. min. 0.
10.	{	houre 4. min. 25.	10.	{	houre 7. min. 35.
20.	{	houre 4. min. 42.	20.	{	houre 7. min. 25.

1	g	Bumadus	Pisc.	25	c	11
2	a	Uisit. bl. M	Aries	7	C	12
3	b	Procopius	Aries	20	Last quart-	d
4	c	Ulricus	Tau.	32. a clocke and	e	13
5	D	Zona virg.	Tau.	16 22. minut. after=	f	14
6	e	Otautianus	Tau.	29 noone.	G	15
7	f	Martialis	Gem.	14	a	16
8	g	Chilianus	Gem.	28	b	17
9	a	Cirillus	Can.	13	c	18
10	b	Rufina	Can.	28 the 10. day at	d	19
11	c	Pius papa	Leo	13 3. quarters of an	e	20
12	D	Maborze fe.	Leo	28 houre past 11. a	f	21
13	e	Sorita Leo.	Vtrg.	13 clock before noon.	G	22
14	f	Bonaventu.	Vtrg.	27	a	23
15	g		Lib.	11	b	24
16	a	Tr. of Osm	Lib.	25 - I	c	25
17	b	Alexitus	Hco.	first quart-	d	26
18	c	Rosina	Hco.	9 ter the 17. day at	e	27
19	D	Sara virg.	Hag.	22 3. a clocke in the	f	28
20	e	Margarita	Hag.	5 morning.	G	29
21	f	Praxed	Hag.	17	a	30
22	g	Maria Ma.	Capri.	29	b	31
23	a	Appolinaris	Capri.	11	c	1
24	b	Christiana	Aqu.	23	d	2
25	c	Ianies M.	Aqu.	4	e	3
26	D	Irma virg.	Aqu.	16 the 25. day at	f	4
27	e	Pantalion	Pisc.	28 half an houre past	G	5
28	f	Nazarius	Pisc.	9 2. a clocke in	a	6
29	g	Martha	Aries	21 the mozung.	b	7
30	a	Aboon	Aries	3	c	8
31	b	Germanus	Aries	16	d	9
				28	e	10

August.

August hath xxxij. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	riseth.	Dayes	Sunne	setteth.
1	{	houre 4. min. 43.	1	{	houre 7. min. 17.
10	{	houre 5. min. 1.	10	{	houre 6. min. 59.
20	{	houre 5. min. 18.	20	{	houre 6. min. 41.

1	c	Lamas day	Taur.	11	C	Last quarter	f	11
2	D	Stephanus	Taur.	24	the second day at	G	12	
3	e	Iauen. St.	Gemin	8	i. a clock and 33	a	13	
4	t	Dominicus	Gemin	12	mitt. in the morn,	b	14	
5	g	Cancer	7			c	15	
6	a	Transfig.d.	Cancer	21	● New moone	d	16	
7	b	Donatus	Leo	6	the 8. day at 6. a	e	17	
8	c	Cyriacus	Leo	21	clocke at night, &	f	18	
9	D	Romanus	Virgo	6	24. minutes.	g	19	
10	e	Laurentius	Virgo	21		a	20	
11	f	Tiburtius	Libra	6		b	21	
12	g	Clara virg.	Libra	20	C first quarter	c	22	
13	a	colon vng.	Scorp	4	the 15. day at 2.	d	23	
14	b	Eusebodus	Scorp	17	a clocke, and 39.	e	24	
15	c	Assump. M.	Scorp	29	min. after noone.	f	25	
16	D	Brenuphus	Hagit	13		g	26	
17	e	Oda Laur.	Hagit	26		a	27	
18	f	Veronica	Capric	8	● full moone	b	28	
19	g	Memactus	Capric	20	the 23. day, at 6.	c	29	
20	a	Bernardus	Apoar.	2	a clocke, and 2.	d	30	
21	b	Barlaclus	Aquar.	13	minutes at night.	e	31	
22	c	Timothy m	Aquar.	25	September.	f	1	
23	D	Zachaeus	Pices	7		g	2	
24	e	Bartho. Ap	Pices	19		a	3	
25	f	Lodouicus	Aries	1		b	4	
26	g	Zepherinus	Aries	13	C Last quarter	c	5	
27	a	Rufus	Aries	25	the last day, 3.	d	6	
28	b	Erneus	Taur.	8	quarters before	e	7	
29	c	We. Jo. bap.	Taur.	20	noone.	f	8	
30	D	Felix mart.	Gemin	4		g	9	
31	e	Catharbe	Gemin	17		a	10	

Day  
I  
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September hath xxx. daves.

Dayes	Sunne	rileth.	Dayes	Sunne	lettereth.
1	{ hou e 5. min. 41.		1	{ houre 6. min. 19.	
10	{ houre 6. min. 0.		10	{ houre 5. min. 59.	
20	{ houre 6. min. 20.		20	{ houre 5. min. 41.	

1	f	Egidius	Cancer	1	b	11
2	g	Veronica	Cancer	16	c	12
3	a	Bemalcus	Cancer	29	D	13
4	b	Tra. ot Cut	Leo	15 the 7. day at 2. a	e	14
5	c	Bertinus	Leo	29 clocke in the mo=	f	15
6	D	Eugenius	Virgo	14 vning & 20. minuts.	G	16
7	e	Reg. Eliz. Na	Virgo	29	a	17
8	f	Nat. bea M	Libra	14	b	18
9	g	Gorgonius	Libra	28	c	19
10	a	Nicholaus	Scorp.	12	D	20
11	b	Protus	Scorp.	25 ter the 14. day	e	21
12	c	Guido conf.	Hagitt.	8 at 6. a clocke in	f	22
13	D	Sol in Libra.	Hagit.	21 the morning, and	G	23
14	e	Holy crosse	Caprie.	4 26. minutes.	a	24
15	f	Nicomedes	Capric.	16	b	25
16	g	Euphemia	Capric.	28	c	26
17	a	Lambertus	Aquari	20	D	27
18	b	Richardus	Aquar.	22 the 22. day at a	e	28
19	c	Januarius	Pisces	4 quarter past 10	f	29
20	D	Gustachius	Pisces	16 in the morning.	G	30
21	e	Matheip. A	Pisces	28	a	1
22	f	Mauritius	Aries	10	b	2
23	g	E. dra	Aries	22	c	3
24	a	Samuel	Taurus	5	d	4
25	b	Firminus	Tauru	17	e	5
26	c	Cyprianus	Taurus	29 ter the 29. day,	f	6
27	D	Damianus	Gemin.	14 halfe an houre af-	G	7
28	e	Exuperius	Gemin.	27 ter 7. a clocke = at	a	8
29	f	Apicha. Dec.	Cancer	12 night,	b	9
30	g	Hyeronim.	Cancer	26	c	10

October hath xxxij. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	rifeth.	Dayes	Sunne	settreth
i.	{	houre 6. min. 36.	i.	{	houre 5. min. 24.
10.	{	houre 6. min. 56.	10.	{	houre 5. min. 4.
20.	{	houre 7. min. 13.	20.	{	houre 4. min. 47.

i. a	Remigius	Leo	10	d	11
2 b	Leodegardo	Leo	25	e	12
3 c	Ewaldo	Virgo	10	f	13
4 D	Franciscus	Virgo	24	the sixt day at	14
5 e	Apolinaris	Libra	9	noone.	a
6 f	Wrunon	Libra	23	b	15
7 g	Marcus pa.	Scorp	6	c	16
8 a	Pelagius	Scorp	20	d	17
9 b	Terme be.	Hagit	3	e	18
10 c	Gedeon	Hagit	16	f	19
11 D	Wurcharid.	Hagit	29	at 1. a clocke and	20
12 e	Maximilli.	Capric	11	14. minutis in the	21
13 f	Nichastus	Capric	14	morning.	a
14 g	Sol in Scorp.	Aquari	6	b	22
15 a	Hedivigo	Aquari	18	c	23
16 b	Gallus	Aquari.	29	Full moone	24
17 c	Florentin.	Pisces	12	the 22. day at 1.	d
18 D	Luse Quan	Pisces	24	a clocke in the	e
19 e	Fridesweed	Pries	7	morning.	f
20 f	Tres Michael	Pries	19	25	26
21 g	Ursula	Tauru	1	27	28
22 a	Mary Sa.	Tauru	14	Neuember.	a
23 b	Severinus	Taur.	27	b	29
24 c	Maglory	Gemin	10	c	30
25 D	Chrisianus	Gemin	24	d	31
26 e		Cancer	8	e	1
27 f	Mense Mich.	Cancer	22	f	2
28 g	Simon & I	Leo	7	fall at the Black-	3
29 a	Marcissus	Leo	21	Friers.	4
30 b	Quintinus	Virgo	6	Last quart-	5
31 c	Wolphang.	Virgo	29	ter the 29. day	6
				at 3. a clocke in	7
				the morning.	8
					9
					10

Nouember hath xxx. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne riseth.	Dayes	Sunne setteth.
1.	{ hour 7. min. 34.	1.	{ hour 4. min. 26.
10.	{ hour 7. min. 49.	10.	{ hour 4. min. 13.
20.	{ hour 7. min. 0.	20.	{ hour 4. min. 0.

1	D	All Saints	Lib.	4	G	11
2	e	All soules	Lib.	18	a	12
3	f	Hudertus	Hco.	2	b	13
4	g	Vitalis	Hco.	15	c	14
5	a	Papists consp.	Hco.	29	a clocke in the	d
6	b	Leonhardu.	Hag.	11	morning almost.	e
7	c	Willebrodu	Hag.	24	f	16
8	D	4. Crowned Cap.		7	G	17
9	e	Theodosorus	Cap.	19	a	18
10	f	Cryphon	Aqu.	1 ter the 12. day	b	19
11	g	Martin epi	Aqu.	13 at 10. a clocke at	c	20
12	a	Leuintius	Aqu.	25 at night and 14.	d	21
13	b	of a sagit.	Pisc.	8 min. past	e	22
14	c	Lucanus.	Pisc.	20	f	23
15	D	Casmirius	Aries	2	G	24
16	e	Otemerus	Aries	15	a	25
17	f	Init. Reg. Eli	Aries	full moone	b	26
18	g	Octab. Ma.	Tau.	27 the 20. day at 3.	c	27
19	a	Elizabeth	Tau.	10 a clocke and 16.	d	28
20	b	Edmund	Gem.	23 min. at night.	e	29
21	c	Prese. b. M.	Gem.	6	f	30
22	D	Cecilia vir.	Can.	20 December.	G	1
23	e	Clemens	Can.	4	a	2
24	f	Chrisogon.	Leo	38	b	3
25	g	Katherine	Leo	3	c	4
26	a	Conradus	Vir.	17 Last quart-	d	5
27	b	Igricola	Vir.	2 ter the 27. day	e	6
28	c	Cerne end	Lib.	16 at 10. a clo. & 52.	f	7
29	D	Abuent lun.	Lib.	11 min. in the mor-	G	8
30	e	Andrew Ap.	Lib.	15 ning.	a	9
				29		10

December hath xxxij. dayes.

Dayes	Sunne	rising	Dayes	Sunne	setting
1. f Longinus	Scorp	12	1. b	11	
2. g Bibiana	Scorp	25	2. c	12	
3. a Lybenius	Dagit	8	3. b	13	
4. b Barbara	Dagit	21 the 4. day at 4.	4. e	14	
5. c Faustanus	Capric.	3 a clocke at night	5. f	15	
6. D Nicholaus	Capric	15 & 18. minutes.	6. G	16	
7. e Ambrodius	Capric	27	7. a	17	
8. f Cocep b. M. Squar.	Squar.	9	8. b	18	
9. g Joachimus	Squar.	21	9. c	19	
10. a Christianus	Pices	3	10. d	20	
11. b Damallus	Pices	15 ter the 12. day at	11. e	21	
12. c Sol in Capri.	Pices	27 7. a clocke & 27.	12. f	22	
13. D Lucia virg.	Pices	10 minutes at night,	13. G	23	
14. e Michaelius	Pices	22	14. a	24	
15. f Malterius	Taurus	5	15. b	25	
16. g O sapientia.	Taurus	18	16. c	26	
17. a Lazarus	Gemini	7 the 20. day at 4.	17. d	27	
18. b Gratianus	Gemini	15 a clocke before	18. e	28	
19. c Fausta	Gemini	29 noone.	19. f	29	
20. D Julianus	Cancer	13	20. G	30	
21. e Tho. Spott.	Cancer	28	21. a	31	
22. f 30. martyris	Leo	13	22. January.		
23. g Victoria	Leo	27	23. b	1	
24. a Boa, & Cue.	Virgo	12	24. c	2	
25. b Chrysma	Virgo	27	25. d	3	
26. c Stephen	Libra	11 ter the 26. day at	26. e	4	
27. D John Euau.	Libra	25 halfe an houre	27. f	5	
28. e Innocents	Scorpio	9 past 7. a clocke at	28. G	6	
29. f	Scorpio	21 night and 52 mi-	29. a	7	
30. g David	Dagitt.	5 nutes.	30. b	8	
31. a Hyluester	Dagitt.	18	31. c	9	
			31. d	10	

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lished for this yeare of our  
Lord and Saviour Iesus  
Christ, 1629.

*Being the first after Leape year.*

VVhercyn is set downe, accord-  
ing to Art, an Astrologicall  
description of the lykly sea-  
sons, of the foure Quar-  
ters of the yeare.

With other fitt matter, conveni-  
ent for such a worke.

By G. Gilden φιλόμαθη.

*Ludis in humanis divina potentia rebus.*

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-sq; goliathisq; bsp;  
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## To the Reader.

**S**EEING (Courteous Reader) that Prognostications and annuall Almanacks, are commonly published for the vse and behoofe of the Common People: I haue thought good for their better vnderstanding, to bee as plaine therein as I might: And therefore haue written little in this Almanack, and Astronomicall Table, but what with small paynes, even of the simplest,) may be easily vnderstood. But seeing the predictions of the weathers dispose, are commonly (by the Common sort), taxed of vntruth: I haue thought good, onely to set downe the Aspects of the Moone, and the rest of the Planets, for the judicious to find out of themselves, which boing reduced into 12. Columnes, for the severall months, I haue sett them in my Prognostication, seeing the Table annexed is much pertinent thereto: for the better vnderstanding whereof, and the like tables: If any Gent. bee desirous so to enrich his understanding with Mathematicall knowledge, hee shall finde the works, both of ancient and moderne writers so plentifull, as that there were never better or nearer helpe, for the attaining thereof, then are at this present, as may well be prooved, by those excellent works and inventions, that haue lately beene published. Whereupon I conclude, that the attaining of these excellent arts, is now more easie, then any time in former ages. And so for this time I bid thee Farewell.

Thyne  
G. Gilden.

# The beginning and ending of the Termes this present year

1629. with their

Returnes.

Hillery Terme beginneth on the 23. of January, and  
endeth on the 12. of February, & hath 4 Returnes.

1. Octabis. Hillarie. }      3. Crafti. Purifica.  
2. Quind. Hillarie. }      4. Octabis. Purifica.

Galter Terme beginneth the 22. of Ap;ll, & endeth  
the 15. of May, and hath 5. Returnes.

1. Quind. Pasch. }      3. Meose Pasch. } 4. Quinque; Pasch.  
2. Tres Pasch. }      5. Crafti. Alceo.

Trinity Terme beginneth the 5. of June, & endeth  
the 25. of June, and hath 4 Returnes.

1. Craft. Trin. }      3. Quind. Trin.  
2. Octab. Trin. }      4. Tres Trin.

Michaelmas Terme begins the 9. of October, and  
endeth the 18. of November, and hath 8. Returnes.

1. Octabis Michael. }      3. Craft. Animarum.  
2. Quind. Michael. }      6. Craftin. Martini.  
3. Tres Michael. }      7. Octabis Martini.  
4. Mente Michael. }      8. Quind. Martini.

Note also, that the Exchequer openeth  
eight dayes before any Terme beginneth  
except Trinity Terme ) in which it openeth  
but fower daies before.

A briefe Declaration of the dis-  
position of the four Quarters  
of this yeare, 1629.

Of VVinter.

**V**V Inter, the first Quarter Astro-  
nomicall, began the last yeare,  
the 12 day of December, when the Arch-  
flame of light, being in his greatest digres-  
sion from the Equator, to the South, and  
scited in the Tropicall point of *Capricorn*,  
bringing divers impediments evident in  
nature, bereaveth our Septentrionall parts  
of the heate, and vigor, wherewith at o-  
ther times (the Sunne being nearer, and  
more elevated,) doth preserve and che-  
rish the Elements, and all things com-  
passed

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passed of them, whether vegetable, or  
sensitive.

So as now commeth colde, and darknes  
to vs on this Northerne part of the world:  
But it brings the most pleasant, and com-  
fortable time of Sumner to the Inhabi-  
tants neere to the South pole, viz. *Nova*  
*Guinea, Chasdi, Terra del Fuego, &c.*

In this Brumall Quarter, it is good to  
drinke little, and eate well: because at this  
time, mans stomack, being hot, is aptest  
to digest.

The Diseases incident to this Quarter,  
are pushes in the face, Leprosie, tooth ach,  
red spots, feavers, and scabbs, the Fluxes  
of blood in the interiour parts, paine of  
the eyes, Palsies, Gouts, and such like.

## Of the Spring.

**T**He Spring (according to Astrono-  
micall computation) beginneth when  
the Sunne enters into the Dodecemory  
of *Aries*, or point of the Intersection of  
the Ecliptick, and Equator, whereupon are  
grownded the generall predictions of the  
whole yeare succendent, as the radical or ge-  
nethliacall

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sethliacall revolation thereof happening  
this present yeare, the 21 of March, hauing  
then provolved himselfe, to the punctuall  
intersection, of the *Vernal Equinox*: by  
which equall vicissitude of night and day,  
the world thereby, for that time hath the  
fruition of his splendant rayes most gracie-  
full to the dwellers within the temperate  
Zone, as *Europe* is: but over fervent and  
parching heate, to the inhabitanrs neare  
the Lyne, in the torrid Zone; as the most  
part of *Africa*, and *East Indyes*; with the  
spicery Iles; and also to *New Spaine*.

This Quarter is the most comfortable  
of all the yeare, and of nature, warme and  
moyst: yet the ordinary diseases thereof,  
are Leprosies, Red spotts, Tooth-ach, Bea-  
vers of blood, Pushes, or Wheales in the  
face, small Poxe, Ring-wormes, Falling  
sicknesse, Paynes in the throat, and neck,  
the Kings Evill, Wennes, and Griefes, in  
the shoulders and armes, caused by blood,  
fayntings and Phrenesies.

*Of Summer.*

VV Hereas the continuance of acti-  
B 4 on,

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on, doth necessarily add power of operation, to all naturall Agents, and as it commeth to passe in Winter, that by reason of the Sunnes remote position, that his continuall aboue the *Horizon*, is shortest, and his absence under the same, longest, thereby causing the shortest dayes, and longest nightes : So now in Summer, which quarter beginneth when fayre *Phœbus*, having arrived to the highest pitch of elevation in our *Horizon*, by his farthest obligation to the North; produceth the longest day and shortest night in the yeare: which will happen this yeare 1629. vpon the 12. day of June.

This quarter is hott and dry in nature, and doth so accordingly alter the humors in mans body.

The sicknesse agreeing to the nature herof, are griefes and tormentes about the breast, ribbes, and spleene, Pushes, Leprosies, and diseases of the face, (as in the Spring,) bleared, and sore eyes, with other impediments therein; the Plurisie, heart and stomach aking, sorrow, vexations, Feavers of blood, Apostumes, Pestilence, the Jaundice, Payne in the belly, and secret parts, with other infirmities

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infirmities proceeding of Melancholy.

Of Autumn.

The Sunne having entred into Libra, which is the other dodecatemory, maketh equall Arches of Sun-shine, on the surface of this Globe of Mortality, producing a second Spring: which falleth out this yeare, on the 13. of September.

And this quarter is by nature cold and dry.

And the diseases thereof, are properly Paynes in the backe, Darknesse of sight, Retention of vrine, Fluxes of blood, Payns in the privy parts, with infirmities in the face: also the Canker, Fistuloes, Enroids, the stone and Gravell, Feavers of blood, and impediments in the eyes.

Of the Eclipses.

Forasmuch as there will happen no Eclipse, either of Sunne or Moone this yeare

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yeare 1629. which will be visible in Europe: I hould it needless to write any thing of them here in this place, but will proceed to the disposition of the Ayre.

### The disposition of the Ayre in more particular.

¶ **F**orasmuch as I haue noted the Aspects of the Moone and Planetts, amongst themselves, against every day of the moneth in these 12 Columnes following, I thought it would be no lesse convenient, then, if setting downe the daily dispose of weather; I shall by a Table immediatly following the said Columnes, shew, how by these Aspects, you may know the alteration of the weather: whereby you may conceive, that if by that Table alone, you may come neare to know the change of the weather: the whole art is not so vaine, as it is accounted; but availeth much to the knowledge of truth.

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The Aspects of the Moone, and the rest of the Planets.

January	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.
* h D	Δ o h 9.	o h D	□ g D	Δ ♀ D	Δ h ♀ 13
□ ♀ D	* ♀ D	□ 4 D	* h D	D Apog.	* ♂ D
□ o h	□ h 4	□ ♂ D	□ ♀ 9.	□ ♀ D	□ ♀ D
□ ♂ D	* 4 D	△ h ♀ 6.	* ♂ D	□ ♀ 4	* 4 D
□ 4 D	* ♂ D	△ ♀ D	D Apog.	* ♀ D	o o ♂ 13
* ♀ D	* ♀ D	* ♀ D	o o ♀	* ♀ D	△ h ♀
* 4 D	△ h ♀	D 4 30.	* 4 ♀	* 4 D	* 4 ♀ 10
* o D	D 4 22.	□ h D	* ♀ D	o ♂ D	□ 4 D
* 4 D	□ h ♀	o 4 D	o ♂ D	□ 4 ♀ 2	* ♂ 2
o ♂ ♀ 6.	o 4 ♀	D Apog.	* 4 D	□ 4 D	△ 4 D
D 4 9.	D Apog.	△ h ♂	o ♀ D	o ♀ D	D 4 19.
o ♀ D	△ h D	* o 4 7.	o ♀ D	△ 4 D	o ♀ D
D Apog.	o ♀ D	8 h ♀	□ 4 D	* ♂ D	D Perig.
* h ♀ 13	o o ♀ 7.	* 4 D.	* ♂ D	D 4 23.	□ ♂ D
△ h D	* ♂ D	8 h D	8 h ♀ 1	D Perig.	* ♀ D
* ♀ D	8 h D	* ♂ D	□ o 4	* o D	△ ♂ D
* ♂ D	□ ♀ D	* ♀ D	D 4 3.	△ ♂ D	* ♀ D
* 4 D	* ♀ D	□ ♂ D	o ♀ D	△ o 4 4	□ h ♀ 9.
o 4 ♀	o ♂ ♀ 20	* o D	D Perig.	□ ♀ D	□ ♀ D
□ 4 D	△ ♀ D	△ h D	o h ♀	△ ♀ D	△ ♀ D
△ ♀ D	△ h D	D 4 4.	△ ♀ D	□ h ♂ 8	2 3 D
△ ♂ D	D 4 6.	* ♂ ♀	△ o D	8 ♂ D	* 4 D
□ h ♀	△ ♀ D	D Perig.	8 ♂ D	□ 4 D	* ♂ 3
△ h D	D Perig.	* h D	△ 4 D	o ♀ D	D 4 22.
D 4 17	* h D	8 ♂ D	8 ♀ D	2 ♀ D	2 ♀ D
□ h D.	* 4 ♀	□ 4 ♀	□ 4 D	△ ♂ D	D Apog.
* h D	△ 4 D	△ 4 D	△ ♂ D	△ 4 ♀ 4	□ ♂ D
△ ♀ D	8 ♀ D	o h D	* h D	D 4 20.	□ o h 8
△ 4 D	8 ♀ D	8 ♀ D	* h D	△ 4 ♀	□ ♂ D
o 4 ♂		△ ♂ D	D 4 15	△ o h	* ♂ 8
□ h ♂		8 o h 7			

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The Aspects of the Moone, and the rest of the Planets.

Day	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.
1	□ h ♀ 19.	* ○ h	□ ♀ D	□ ♀ D	* ♀ D	△ ♀ D
2	K ♪ D	♂ ♀ ♀ 10.	* ♀ D	D Perig.	△ ○ ♂	* ♀ D
3	□ ♀ D	♂ ♀ D	D Perig.	♂ h ♀ 5.	△ ♀ D	♂ ♀ D
4	□ ♪ D	D ♀ 10.	* ♂ D	□ ♪ ♀ 11.	△ ♂ D	D ♀ 3.
5	K h ♀ 3.	* ♀ D	* h D	□ ♂ D	* ♪ D	* h D
6	○ ○ ♀ 12.	♂ ○ ♀ 0.	♂ ♀ D	□ ♀ D	D ♀ 23.	□ h ♀ 11.
7	△ h D	D Perig.	□ ♀ D	♂ ♀ D	♂ ♀ D	□ h D
8	D ♀ 3.	8 ♀ D	♂ ♀ D	♂ ♀ D	* h D	D Apog.
9	□ ♂ ♀ 8.	□ ♀ D	□ ♀ D	♂ ○ ♀	8 ♂ D	* ○ D
10	D Perig.	* h ♀ 3.	△ ♂ D	D ♀ 17	* h ♀	△ ♀ ♀ 9.
11	K h D	△ ♪ D	* ♀ D	□ ○ ♀	D Apog.	* ♪ D
12	□ ♀ D	♂ h D	△ ○ ♀ 0.	* ♀ D	* ♀ D	* ♪ D
13	? ♪ ♀	□ ♪ D	* ♪ D	* ♀ D	□ ♀ D	* ♀ ♀ D
14	3 ○ ♀	□ ♀ D	* ♀ D	□ ♀ D	△ ♂ D	□ ♂ D
15	5 h D	* ♪ D	D ♀ 11.	D Apog.	* ♪ D	* ○ h
16	K ♀ D	□ ♀ D	♂ ♀ D	* ♪ ♀ 9.	△ ♀ D	* ♂ D
17	□ ♀ D	D ♀ 4.	□ ♀ D	△ ♂ 4.6.	8 h D	△ ♀ D
18	8 ♀ D	△ ○ D	△ ♀ D	△ ♀ D	D ♀ 11.	D h D
19	△ ♀ D	□ h D	○ h ♀ 7.	□ ♂ D	* ♂ D	△ h D
20	K h D	□ ♂ D 5.	△ ♂ D	□ ♀ D	△ ♀ D	○ ♂ D
21	D ♀ 0.	D Apog.	D Apog.	8 h D	△ h D	D Perig.
22	□ h D.	* h ♀ 4.	□ ○ ♀	□ h ♀	D ♀ 4.	△ ♀ D
23	D Apog.	* ♂ ♀	□ ♀ D 0.	△ ♀ D	○ ♂ D	○ ♂ D
24	8 ♀ D	△ h ♀ 0.	* ♂ D	* ♪ ♀ 7.	8 ♀ D	* ♂ D
25	K h ♀ 13.	* ♪ D	○ ○ ♀ 18.	D ♀ 0.	D Perig.	□ ♀ D
26	□ ♂ D	♂ h D	△ ♀ D	△ ○ D	○ ○ ♀ 17.	△ ♂ D
27	* ♪ D	△ ♪ ♀ 1.	D ♀ 21.	○ ♂ D	○ ♂ ♀ 5.	□ ♀ ♀ D
28	* ♪ D	△ ○ D	△ h D	8 ♀ D	* ♪ D	* ♪ D
29	△ ○ D	△ ♪ D	○ ♂ D	D Perig.	K ○ D	D ♀ 6.
30	□ ♪ D	□ ♀ D	△ ♂ D	□ ♀ D	○ h D	
1		D ♀ 16.	△ ♂ D	* ♂ D		

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## A Table of the Aspects of the Planets, shewing the Change of the weather.

	D	D	D	D	D	D
Clouds & Wynds & Raine and moyst are rain, wind cold, sud- remisheat & showers dain raine, clouds, wynd and cold and hore frosts cloudes, raine, or clouds & wynd and snow. snow.			Raine and cold, bayl, thunder, thunder, thunder & raine and hayle, rain colde, and wind, clouds and remisse snow.		Raine and wind, baile and thun- der, & raine, troubled ayre.	Wind and rain, baile and thun- der, & raine, troubled ayre.
Tempe- rate ayre,	Greare windes.	Tempera- ture.		Wyndes, thunder & lightning, wyndes, re- misse cold.	Windes, tempests, whirle- winds, re- misse cold.	Spring Summer Autumne Winter.
Abat's cold & moist- ure in hot signs, cau- seth thun- der in summer.	Windes & cloudes, thunder. windes & wett.	Rain, sho- wers, rain, remisse colde.	Drywinds thunder & lightning, wyndes, re- misse cold.	Spring Summer Autumne Summer.		
Alters the ayre accord- ing to the season	Wyndes & moysture, especially in airy signes.	Rain, thun- ders and raine, rain moysture	Spring Summer Autumne Winter.	Spring Summer Autumne Winter.	♂* □ △ or 8.	
Moistur & clouds, re- miss heat, wett. cloudes, whirle- windes or snow.	Wyndes & bringing Autumne Winter	Spring Summer Autumne Winter	Spring Summer Autumne Winter	♂* □ △ or 8.		
For the most part winde and Autumne London	Spring Summer Autumne Winter	♂* □ △ or 8.				

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And that you may the better vnderstan  
the Characters of the Planetts, and their  
Aspects, I haue thought good to sett them  
heredowne as followeth.

The Characters of the seuen Planetts.

Saturne. Jupiter. Mars. Sol:  
Venus: Mercury: The Moone.

The Characters of the Aspects.

A Conjunction: A Sextile:

A Square: A Trine:  
\*  
An Opposition.

The Dragons Head:

The Dragons Tayle.  
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A plaine and easie Table, shewing the beginning, continuance, and yeares, of and since  
 the beginning of the reigne of all the Kings  
 and Queenes of this Land, from the  
 Conquest, vntill this year,  
 1629.

The Kings names.	The beginning of their reigne.	Reigned ye. m. d.	Since his Reigne.
William Con.	1066 Dec. 14	10 21 14	563
Willm. Rufus	1087 Sept. 9	13 11 17	543
Henry the 1.	1100 August 1	25 4 11	529
King Stephen	1135 Decem. 2	18 21 18	494
Henry the 2.	1154 Octob. 25	34 9 1	475
Richard the 1.	1189 July 6	9 9 0	440
King John	1199 April 6	17 6 13	430
Henry the 3.	1216 Oct. 19	56 1 0	413
Edward the 1.	1272 Nov. 16	34 8 6	397
Edward the 2.	1307 Julie 7	19 7 5	322
Edward the 3.	1326 Jan. 25	50 5 7	303
Richard the 2.	1337 June 21	12 3 14	251
Henry the 4.	1399 Sep. 29	13 6 3	230
Henry the 5.	1412 Mar. 20	9 5 14	216
Henry the 6.	1422 Aug. 31	38 6 8	207
Edward the 4.	1460 Marc. 4	22 5 1	169
Edward the 5.	1483 Apzill 9	0 3 18	146
Richard the 3.	1483 Jun. 23	2 2 5	146
Henry the 7.	1485 Aug. 12	23 9 19	144
Henry the 8.	1509 Apzill 21	27 10 2	120
Edward the 6.	1546 Jan. 28	6 5 19	83
Queen Mary	1553 Julie 6	5 4 22	76
Q. Elizabeth	1585 Apzill 17	44 4 15	71
King James.	1602 Mar. 24	32 0 3	27
King Charles	1625 Mar. 27	Vivas Reg.	

# A Prognostication.

A Table to know when the  
Moone will be South, for  
every day in the yeare.

The use of this  
Table.

1	12	48	16
2	1	36	17
3	2	24	18
4	3	12	19
5	4	0	20
6	4	48	21
7	5	36	22
8	6	24	23
9	7	12	24
10	8	0	25
11	8	48	26
12	9	36	27
13	10	24	28
14	11	12	29
15	12	0	30

From the Change From the Full so  
go the Full the Day before the  
comes to the Day comes to the  
South after South before  
Moone. Moone.

The age of  
the Moone  
being found by  
the Kalender, (that  
is to say) how  
many days is past  
from the time of  
her Change.

Therewith enter this Table, & having found it  
in the first Columnne to the left  
hand, if it be before the full  
Moone, or to the  
right hand, if it  
be after the full Moone,

you shall haue in  
the middle columnne, her comming to the  
South, before or after, as is noted in the  
foote of the Table. As for example.

The 19 day of January, the Moone is 5  
dayes olde, wherewith entering the Table,  
in the first Columnne to the left hand;

and

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find over against it 4 Howres, and o Min.  
shewing me, that her comming to the South  
will be just at 4 a clocke in the afternoonc.

*To know the Howre of the Night by  
the Moone, on a Sunne-Dyall.*

**T**Hetime of the Moones comming to the South, being found in the former Table, in manner aforesaid; Looke in a Sun Dyall, vpon what howre, before or after 12. on the Dyall the Moones shadow falleth: for so many howers it is before or after the Moones comming to the South.

*Example.*

**I** Find the Moone South the aforesaid 19 day of Ianuary at just 4 a clocke in the afternoone: looking then on a Sunne Dyall, I find her shadow to fall the 3 howre after 12 on the Dyall: whereupon, I conclude, it is 7 a clocke at night, which is 3 howres after the Moones comming to the South.

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A Prognostication  
Astronomicall Elections for  
Physick and Chyrurgery depending  
on the course of the Moone.

When the body is filled with naughty and superfluous humors, it is convenient for thee to draw blood, so that the heavens consent thereto, and are agreed therewith: which being not circumspectly weighed, may be most dangerous to the patient, (whereof no understanding man is ignorant,) but when necessity urgeth.

As for the Pestilence, Plurisie, Phrensie, &c. for then though the heavens deny yet a vein is speedily to bee opened ad regri salutem.

This considered: Of Medecines some be purgative: some comfortorie: and others in the meane betwixt both.

Medecines Purgative be either Solvendo or Leniendo: In the first the Moone must be in S. m. or X. for the other, the Moone must be taken when she worketh more in moystnes, then in drynes, being in a Δ. or \* with ♀ And you must take heed in the houre of giving the Medecine, least the Moone haue any aspect with h. for he conjealeth the humours, and makes the medecine to doe but a little.

Likewise let her be free from any aspect with ♍ for he is the gifter of ill, the helper and comforter of the Vices: so that the Medecine can but weakly expell the humours, making the body affected with an evill quality.

Furthermore, in all Purgative medecines observe these ensuing rules: for in the administration

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tion of Phisick, are chiefly to be respected three things: viz The Time; The Age of the Patient; And the manner of Administration.

For the time of the year.

**F**or the election of time, consideration is to be had, that it be not in extremity either of heat or cold. And therefore Hypocrates, Part 6. and 46. Aphoris. saith, that the Spring and Autumn, are best for Phisick, and Summer and Winter bad, and to be used but upon necessity. For in Summer, the two hours boyle by reason of heat, causing great annoyance to mens bodies: yet if necessity vrge to take Phisick in Summer, it is best to take it by bonit, and in Winter (if necessary require) by purgation.

For the time of the Month.

**L**et not blood 3 dayes before or after the conjunction of the Moone with h. The like of the conjunction of the Moone and g. Neither let blood ♀ and ♂ being in conjunction, whilst ♀ is combust.

Let not blood the day before and after the full of the Moone. And the like obscrue, the Moone being in conjunction with h. or g.

But the Moone in any Aspet, with v. or ♀, or in a Δ. with o. or g. produceth a fitt time to lett blood in.

The Time of the day.

**I**n the Morning fasting is best, or in the Evening after perfect digestion, with this proviso, that the Ayre be temperate, and the winds not in the Mouth.

A Prognostication:  
For the Age.

C Oncerning the Ages, you are to understand, that decrepit oldage, and young Infants, are unfit to haue physick admittred vnto them: or such as be vnder 14. yeares of age, and more than 56 yeares old: or such as be exceeding farr or very leane: and it is also dangerous, for a young man to take much phisick. For as a learned Phy-  
sician saith; He that taketh much Phisick, when he is young; will much repent it when he is old.

For the Age to lett blood.

I n Youth. From the change to the first quarter.  
I n Middle age. From the first quart. to the full.  
I n Elder age. From the full to the last quarter.  
I n Old age. From the last quarter to the change  
And after: bleeding, vse not any violent exer-  
cise, no sleeping, no venery, no gluttony.

The manner of Administration.

F Dr the manner of Phisicks administration  
Albumazars opinion is; That the fittest times  
for Purgations are to be elected, according to the  
motions of the Moone, in watery signes as S.  
m. and H.

Others hould opinion, that the first halfe of A.  
and M. are fitt times. And when the Moone is  
void of course, it is indifferent to take purgative  
medecines.

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D in ☽, in ♀ { not combust is good } with ☉ =  
\* or Δ al- { ☽ } to avoid Choller } lectua  
pece of { 4 } is good to purge } Phleame } ries.  
} good to expell Me- }  
} (lancholy )

D in ☽, in ♀ { good Choller } with  
\* or Δ al- { ☽ } to { Phleame } with  
pece of { 4 } purge { Melancholy } Actions.

D in ☽, in ♀ { good Choller } with  
\* or Δ al- { ☽ } to { Phleame } with  
pece of { 4 } purge { Melancholy } Phylls.

D in ☽, in ♀ { good Choller } with any  
in \* or Δ { ☽ } to { Phleame } kind of  
Δ with { 4 } purge { Melancholy } medecine.

But note, that you must looke that ♀ be not  
combust, and that the ☽, ☐, or 8 of ☽ or ☈ either  
to the Moone, or between themselves, doe not  
hinder the operation of the Phisick.

Neither let the Moone be in any of the signes,  
that do cheate the cidd; V, S, M. For then the  
medecine will stay but a little with the patient,  
causing him to vomit, vaulsle you meane to  
purge by vomiting.

Also in purging the Melancholly, let not ☽  
have dominion; nor 4. in purging the sanguine, or  
the liuer, nor ☈ the Chollerick, nor D the head, nor  
♀ in purging the lungs.

The Moon being fortifid, it is ill to purge  
the brain.

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In the administration of purgations, remember Haly his Commentari upon Ptolomy, who saith: That the humours, from the Change of the Moon to the first quarter, and from the full to the last quarter, do move, from the inward parts of the body, to the outward. And likewise, from the first quarter to the Opposition: and also, from the last quarter to the Change, they move from the outward parts to the inward.

Therefore, in the first, and third weeks of the Moon, it is best to apply extermall evacuations: & in the second and fourth weeks, internall purgations.

How the Vertues be corroborated.

**T**he Vertues be either Vitall, Animall, or Naturall.

The Vitall Vertues remain in the Heart: The Animall in the Brain: & the Natural in Liver.

The Vitall Vertues are gouerned of ☽ & ♀.

The Animall of ☽ and ♀.

The Naturall of ♀ and ☽.

Other vertues be also gouerned by the Planets, as the vertue attractiue is gouerned of ☽. The disgestiue of ♀. The retentive of ☽. The expulsive of ☽.

Also the signes thus gouerne the Vertues ♀, and ☽, rule the attractiue: ☽ and ☽ the disgestiue: ☽ and ☽ the retentive: ☽ and ☽ the expulsive.

Also the Vertues be ruled by the Planets thus: ☽ the well-spring of the Vertues vitall: ☽ of the Vertues animall: ☽ of the receptiue: ♀ of the augmentatiue: ☽ of the attractiue: ☽ of the appetitiue: and ☽ of the imaginative.

And therefore, when you would fortifie any of these

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these Vertues, fortifie the planett signifying  
the same, and it is done.

In letting of blood, you must know what per-  
sons are fit to bleed, and what not. And if they be  
fit, how it is with the patient inwardly, for his  
complexion and age: and outwardly, for the time  
of the year, and of the month, as is aforesaid.

### For the Complexion.

**F**or the flegmatick, let the  $\text{D}$  be in  $V$  or  $T$ ,  
 $\text{F}$  when you draw blood: for the Melancholy in  
 $\text{C}$  or  $\text{M}$ : for the Chollerick in  $S$  or  $X$ : and the  
sanguine in any of the aforesaid.

The unaccustomed are not to be phlebotomis-  
zed, least it breed some malady, vntill necessity  
urge it. And you must haue respect to the  
strength of the person.

### Certaine Elections concerning Hu- bandry.

**I**t is best to plant in the last quarter of the  $\text{D}$ ,  
so that she be not aspecked by  $\square$  or  $\circ$ , or  $\text{h}$   
or  $\text{g}$ .

**Howe Corne**, when the  $\text{D}$  is in  $S$ .

**Fell Timber** for building, from Midsummer  
to Christmas, in the wane of the  $\text{D}$ .

**Geld**, or lidd Cattell, when the  $\text{D}$  is in  $V$ ,  $T$ ,  
or  $\text{M}$ .

**Remoue Trees**, the last quarter of the  $\text{D}$ , be-  
tweene **Ilk halounyde**, and **Twelfe=ryde**.

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